## House Amendment 2012

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               Amend Senate File 601, as amended, passed, and
         2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
         3 #1. Page 45, by inserting after line 21 the
         4 following:
               <Sec.
                             Section 257.17, Code 2007, is amended
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         6 to read as follows:
               257.17 AID REDUCTION FOR EARLY SCHOOL STARTS.
               State aid payments made pursuant to section 257.16
        9 for a fiscal year shall be reduced by one
10 one=hundred=eightieth for each day of that fiscal year
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     1 11 for which the school district begins school before the
     1 12 earliest starting date specified in section 279.10,
     1 13 subsection 1. However, this section does not apply to 1 14 a school district that has received approval from the
     1 15 director of the department of education under section
     1 16 279.10, subsection 4, to commence classes for
     1 17 regularly established elementary and secondary schools
     1 18 in advance of the starting date established in section
        <del>19 279.10, subsection 1.</del>>
        20 #2. Page 46, by inserting after line 7 the
        21 following:
                            Section 279.10, subsection 1, Code
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        23 2007, is amended to read as follows:
24 1. The school year shall begin on the first day of
     1 25 July and each regularly established elementary and
        26 secondary school shall begin no sooner than a day
        27 during the calendar week in which the first day of
     1 28 September falls August 25 but no later than the first
     1 29 Monday in December. However, if the first day of
        30 September falls on a Sunday, school may begin on a day
     1 31 during the calendar week which immediately precedes
        <del>32 the first day of September.</del> School shall continue for
     1 33 at least one hundred eighty days, except as provided
        34 in subsection 3, and may be maintained during the
       35 entire calendar year. However, if the board of 36 directors of a district extends the school calendar 37 because inclement weather caused the district to
        38 temporarily close school during the regular school
     1 39 calendar, the district may excuse a graduating senior
        40 who has met district or school requirements for
        41 graduation from attendance during the extended school
        42 calendar. A school corporation may begin employment
        43 of personnel for in-service training and development
        44 purposes before the date to begin elementary and
        45 secondary school.
        46 Sec. ____. Section 279.10, subsection 4, Code 2007, 47 is amended by striking the subsection.>
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        48 #3. By renumbering as necessary.
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